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**Subject: IFC Management's Response to the CAO Assessment Report on United Ashuganj (#33479) in Bangladesh**

Dear Mr. Gratacós:

IFC would like to thank the CAO for the assessment report regarding United Ashuganj project in Bangladesh.

We are pleased to know that complainants and United Ashuganj Energy Limited have agreed to work with your team to try to resolve these issues through a collaborative approach under the dispute resolution process.

IFC supports the CAO mediation process and the IFC project team will continue to cooperate and provide information as needed.

Sincerely,



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